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				Soviet Troops in th	e Kiev MD		
25X1	Town	<u>Date</u>		Installation	Location	Occupation	Remarks
	Kiev (50-27N, 30-32E)	1949 to 22 April 1950.		Barracks installation of four five- -story buildings, including one new building, each 50 meters long, and several other build- ings.	About two km southwest of the southern railroad brid- ge over the Dnepr River. Referred to as installa-	MVD school with two officer courses and one RM course, each course including about 500 trainees. According to Soviet troops, MVD judicial officers and political	
e e	,				tion No. 160 in the mili- tary geogra- phic plan.	officers for Soviet convict camps were also trained there.	
		1949 to April 1950.		1. Military installation, about 150 by 100 meters, of three E-shaped buildings under construction.	Southwest of the railroad station on Geroyev Stratos- feri Highway. Approximately opposite Instal- lation No. 3 on attachment	buildings were three stories high. The build-	About 15 tanks, ridden by civilians, were frequently observed near FW Camp No. 7062/h, located on the northwestern perimeter of the city. According to
					on attachment three of pre- vious report. (1)	ing officers.	workers employed in the building site, the civilians were regularly trained with various weapons.
				2. Barracks instal- lation of one heavi- ly damaged large building.	of the street.	Occupied by a police unit of about 500 troops wearing blue service caps with red ribbons and black overcoats. The police apparently were on	
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3. Drill ground.

Near the opera-tional building site. Units of approximately company strength were trained there daily. The troops were armed with rifles. They approached on the road leading to the city from a southwestern

direction.

Military billets of several barracks.

one-half km west-southwest of the citadel. See Object No. 51 on the military.geogra-phic plan.

North and north- A division headquarters east of the military hospital of the barracks located referred to as nearby the so-called former cloister, cloister. One General about one and Donets (fnu) was division commander. More units of the division were accomodated in the rest of the barracks buildings. The only in-formation available on the division was that the guard unit of the

Fall of 1948

Old barracks installation, about 500 meters square, of three threestory brick build-ings, several garages, stables, and store-houses; surrounded by a board fence, and enclosing a large barracks yard in the center.

Several hundred meters east of Stalin Bridge, on the new . street leading

In the fall of 1948, occupied by about 500 young troops wearing black-bordered red epaulets and black troustreet leading to the Dnestr sers with narrow real River. Possibly pipings. In summer, the Object No. 139 troops wore white uniforms and white caps. A be the ranking officer. Several trucks were seen

PW camp belonged to it.

1948 to

September 1949

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1. Barracks instal-lation, blocked to observation by woods, edged with a fence of iron rods and concrete posts, 100 meters long;

one gun of medium caliber on either side of the entrance.

2. Barracks installation of two red six-story brick buildings. The western building was U-shaped. One T34 tank was set up at the entrance.

3. Barracks in-stallation of one five-story U-shaped building with one gun set up in front of the entrance.

lation. Drill practice was held in the barracks yard. Occupied by an artillery On the western

perimeter of the unit. Numerous guns of city on the nor- various calibers were thern side of the Brest Lit-ovsk Highway. See Reference No 10 on Attach-

observed through the fence. ment three of

Several hundred Occupation not identified. meters east of the military marshaling yard. Installations No 19 and 20 on the military geographic plan.

a previous report.

the city, on Karl Liebknecht Street.

In the center of The troops observed were referred to as officer candidates and wore red epaulets and wide yellow-bordered red stripes on the sleeves of their uniforms.

in the barracks instal-

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1945 to November 1949

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4. Military billets of one gray fivestory brick building.

> 1. Troop reviews observed on West Ukrainian Liberation Day and October Revolution Day.

On the hills south of the northern sector of the city, called Podol.

Center of the referred to as Vorovskogo in the military

Occupied by a naval unit. From 200 to 300 naval personnel were observed to be trained in the square or trained in the square in front of the militia building. They came from the abovementioned military billets.

The first review lasted city, on about two hours, the Kreshatek Street, second more than three hours. The following units were observed: a. Truck-borne infantry, geographic plan. armed with submachine guns and light machine guns, each truck carrying 20 troops. b. One motorcycle regiment of three battalions, each battalion consisting of not less than 30 files of side-car motorcycles, three abreast, each ridden by three soldiers. Numerous light machine guns were

observed.
c. About three motorized artillery units of nine guns each. Each gun was broken down into the carriage and the barrel, and was moved in two loads. Each component was attached to one tractor manned with two soldiers.

See sketch 1 on Attachment 2.

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Each tractor was about 170 cm high. Description of gun carriage: tion of gun carriage:
Track-laying chassis
with bogie wheels and
track-supporting rollers.
Box-shaped superstructure
with slanting sides, open
rear and a semi-circular opening in the front. Inside the superstructure were the cradle with the recoil mechanism and, on either side, the seats for three gunners, whose heads projected over the top of the superstructure. The overall height of the gun carriage was about 180 cm. Description of the gun-barrel: Two-axle carriage with four twin wheels. One front and one rear seat were on either side of the barrel brackets. Length of barrel was about seven meters. Caliber was estimated Caliber was estimated at 300 mm. Overall height of the carriage mounting the barrel was about 1140 cm. d. Tank units of 27 tanks each, either of T34 or of JS models. One unit of 27 tanks of a heavy, hitherto unknown two were hitherto unknown type were also seen at both reviews.

See sketch 2, on Attachment 2.

See sketch 3 on Attachment 2

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Description: Chassis with bogie wheels and and track-supporting rollers. Wedged nose. Turtle-shaped turret with center of gravity ahead of tank center. Three round openings, about 50 mm in diameter, were in a line on either turret side. Gun of not less than 150 mm caliber, projected beyond the nose by about two meters, with noticeable recess between the rear third and the conic front two-thirds of the barrel protuberance. Roll-shaped muzzle brake. Nose mounting two front machine guns. Front rod antenna right of gunbarrel. Rear mounting two exhaust supports. Judging by the very loud noise, the tank was equipped with a diesel engine.

e. Ah unit equipped with 88-mm guns, moved by tractors, and self-propelled four-barreled AA guns with eight -man crews. The caliber of the latter guns was estimated at 37 mm.

Source Comment: The PWs were deeply impressed by the size of this mammoth tank.

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Summer of 1949

March 1949

Spring of 1947

2. Barracks installation of one large multi-story, semicircular building.

Southeastern

sector of the city, about one km northeast of the citadel. Installation No 160 on the military geographic plan.

Military billets.

No. 6 on Attachment 3 of a previous report. (1)

Underground command post. For details, see Attachment 3.

Engineer unit of troops wearing black-bordered black epaulets. Pon-toons, pontoon carriers, and trucks were observed stored at the rear of the building.

Southwest of the main railroad station on the eastern side meters long, was started of the Geroyev ation was made for one
Highway. Approx more building, 80 meters imately oppositelong. According to Soviet
Installation workers, a technical
No. 6 on college of the Soviet
Attachment 3 Navy was to be established Navy was to be established there.

> According to Soviet officers, the installation was the command post of the supreme

Western peri-meter of the city on Zhitocommand post of the Sieve As outh of the units and was constructed in 1946. In the spring of to the military 1947, the installation was marshaling yard, not occupied by any troops. about 500 meters It was about ten meters under-southeast of ground and was so excellently Installation No 18 on Attachment 3 of a Site layout: Command post
previous report. room furnished with two map

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tables, the commander's table, numerous telephones supported by semi-circularly arranged small inclined tables; two shelter rooms, each about 25 meters long, one for officers and one for enlisted personnel; one radio station, located at a somewhat deeper level than the rest of the rooms; and a retractable tower with camou-flage painting. Several temporary barracks, in which an AA unit was accommodated, were located above the installation.

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Darnitsa, April
eastern 1950
sector of
the city of
Kiev, on
the eastern
bank of the
Dnepr River

1. Barracks installation of one threestory building, 50 meters long.

sector of the town, south of the Kiev-Brovary (N50-29,E30-48) road.

Northern

Occupied by an MVD unit of about 300 troops. Numerous officers, including one colonel, were observed. The guard details assigned to the PW camp and to the PW labor crews belonged to this unit.

2. Barracks installation of one threestory building, 40 meters long. Eastern sector of the town, near the rail-road car factory located about one and one-half km northeast of the railroad station.

Occupied by an MVD unit of about 120 troops, including about 20 officers.

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Uman, Spring of about 200 1947 of Kiev (N48-45, E30-15)

Dneprope- 1945 to trovsk April (N48-27, 1950 E34-59)

Barracks installation, about 800 by 300 meters, of two three-story brick buildings, about 120 meters long, of three wings, and one small guardhouse; surrounded by a lattice fence.

On the edge of the woods, south of the Darnitsa railroad station.

Recently constructed installation. In April 1950, troops wearing red epaulets were observed in the barracks for the first time.

Barracks installation of three billets and two stables. Southeastern perimeter of the town. Occupied by a horse-drawn artillery unit of about 500 troops. One gun of about 800 mm caliber was observed when the unit left the barracks for the training grounds.

1. Barracks installation of one threestory building, 100 meters long, covered with a sheet-metal roof; and one minor three-story building. On the street to the automobile factory, north of the prison. Troops were observed to undergo basic training in the barracks yard until February 1950.

2. Barracks installation of one multistory building, 120 meters long, with many trees at its rear. Opposite the prison.

The occupation could not be determined in April 1950.

3.Barracks installation, about 400 meters square, of several long fivestory red brick buildings and several storage sheds. South of the prison.

Troops wearing red epaulets were observed in the barracks area until February 1950. Also, 20 tanks, covered with tarpaulins, were observed to be parked both in the open, and

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under shed roofs. About 60 trucks and more than 20 guns of about 100 mm caliber were stored in a yard, enclosed by a wooden fence and located west of the barracks installation, until February 1948.

4. Barracks installation of several neglected minor multi-story red brick Almost opposite the aforementioned barracks.

Southern peri-

The occupation could not be determined.

buildings. Barracks instal-

lation of two three-story buildings, 150 meters long, and two large brick storehouses.

meter of the city, on the western side of the southbound thoroughfare leading from the main railroad station to the automobile factory. Twenty to 30 tanks and about 15 guns of 100 to 150 mm caliber were observed in the barracks area.

1948 to December 1949.

April 1950

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1. Barracks installation, about 200 by lation, about 200 by 150 meters, of eight to ten four-story gray brick buildings; enclosed by a wire fence. Southern sector of the city, on the eastern side of a street leading from the main railroad station to the automobile factory, south of the prison.

About one battalion of engineers wearing black epaulets. Numerous, partly wooden, partly metal--constructed pontoons and blocked-up trucks were observed in the barracks yard. Troops received weapons training.

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2. Barracks installation, about 300 meters square, of eight to ten multistory large brick buildings and four wooden shed roofs; enclosed by a wire fence. On the eastern side of the same street, north of the prison. Occupied by an artillery unit estimated at two battalions. Twenty-five to 30 guns of an estimated caliber of 100 to 120 mm with shields and iron wheels, fitted with solid tires and without muzzle brakes, were stored in the barracks yard. Also 80 to 100 trucks were observed.

3. Barracks installation, about 200 by 150 meters, of several brick buildings and wooden shed-roofs; enclosed by a wire fence. On the western side of the same street, opposite the prison. Occupied by an AT artillery unit. About 50 guns of 80 to 100 mm caliber, with solid wheels, mounting pneumatic dual tires, shield, and barrel with pear-shaped muzzle brake, were observed in the barracks yard. Gun carriages with pneumatic tires were observed under the wooden shed-roofs. Numerous blocked-up trucks were seen in the open.

4. Barracks installation, about 200 by 150 meters, of eight to ten multistory gray brick buildings, enclosed by a wire fence. On the western side of the same street, north of the AT artillery barracks, almost opposite the prison.

Occupied by an infantry unit of not less than battalion size. Troops armed with rifles and submachine guns were observed drilling in the barracks yard.

5. Barracks installation, about 150 by 100 meters, of four four-story brick buildings and one On the western side of the same street, about one km north of the infantry

Occupied by a unit of about 1,000 18-to 20-year-old troops wearing black uniforms, black caps, and black epaulets, and armed with long sabres. The

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1947 to

December 1949

1948 to July 1949

athletic field, enclosed by a wire fence.

Several barracks installations of large four-story brick buildings and garages, with wire fence along the street frontage and walls, two meters high, along the rest of the edges; some sections located in wooded area.

Large barracks installation of brick buildings, enclosed by a fence on its eastern edge; a wall, two to four meters high, on its southern and western edges; and a board fence on its northern edge.

Southern sector of the city, on the west side of the street leading from the railroad station to the automobile factory, near the prison.

Southern sector of the city, on the western side of the same aforementioned street, bordering on the northern edge of the military prison.

type; however, they had golden epaulets.

A total of not less than 100 guns of medium caliber were observed to be stored at several points. Also, six T34 tanks were seen in front of a large garage.
The guard personnel of the prison were accommodated in one of the buildings.

a. A tank unit was accommo- The unit was redated in the northern section of the barracks installation. The troops wore the number 12 beside the tank insignia on their epaulets. T34 tanks without muzzle brakes, tanks with muzzle brakes, and 24 tanks of a heavier model were observed in the barracks area. b. A motorized artillery unit was accomodated in the southern section of the barracks installation. Guns of about 100, 150, and 210 mm caliber were ob-served. They were attached to prime movers. Symbols consisting of a white

circle enclosing a blue center

ferred to as

tank division

by Soviet guards.

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25X1X 1948 to December 1949

July to September 1949. 1. Barracks installation of one threestory yellow brick building and some stables and storage sheds in its rear.

2. Barracks installation of three five-story brick buildings, enclosed by an iron feace.

About one km southwest of the main railroad station, on the southern side of a turn of Chechelovskaya Street, opposite an air force barracks installation with a tower for parachute training.

Eastern sector of the city, on the southern side of the southeastern end of Karla Marksa Street. were painted on the left front fenders of many of the motor vehicles.

c. One General (Arty)

Kaufmann (fnu) and one Colonel (Arty) Krazdin (fnu) were identified in connection with the construction of an apartment house for officers.

Occupied by troops wearing red epaulets with golden insignia, possibly crossed-weapon insignia. Some horse-drawn vehicles were stored in the barracks yard.

Occupied to capacity by a tank unit. Troops wearing tank insignia as well as very young soldiers wearing silver epaulets with two or three transversal black braids were observed. About 50 tanks mounting 76.2-mm guns, some tanks of a lighter model, several armored scout cars, trucks, and jeeps were stored in the barracks yard.

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November 19h9

Summer of 19h9

Novo 19h7 to Moskovsk June (Nh8-38, E35-15)

Barracks installation of several brick buildings. Southeastern sector of the city, on the eastern side of Artemovskaya Street. Troops wearing red epaulets with the number 149 and insignia consisting of a practice target and crossed rifles were observed. Twenty guns of about 100 mm caliber without shields, equipped with split-trail gun carriages; and about 20 guns of approximately 150 mm caliber, attached to trucks, were stored in the barracks yard. Also, five or six tanks were observed to move about the barracks area.

Barracks installation of one six--story brick building, about 140 meters long. About one and onehalf km west of the main railroad station on the southern side of a turn of Chechelovskaya Street. Occupied by about 300 very young troops, who were replaced every three months. Practice with mortars and infantry guns was held. According to Soviet workers, the trainees were officer candidates.

1. Barracks installation with a street frontage of 150 meters of one two--story white brick building, about 40 by 20 meters, and one wooden shed; enclosed by a wire fence. Northern perimeter of the town, on the road to Kharkov. Occupied by an AT artillery unit of one company, including one captain and four lieutenants. Five AT guns of about 70 mm caliber with split-trail gun carriages and pear-shaped muzzle brakes, as well as eight trucks, were observed in the barracks area. During the summer months, no troops were observed in the barracks.

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25X1X	Volnoye (N48-114, E35-17)	1947 to the fall of 1948		2. Troop training grounds of extensive woods and swamps.	East of Volnoye on the eastern bank of the Samara River.	From April to October of each year, military units were observed to approach on the Dnepropetrovsk-Kharkov road from both directions and to enter the training grounds				
						over the Samara bridge located on the eastern perimeter of the town. The troops included tank units of up to 60 tanks, artillery units equipped				
s.						with heavy guns, AT artillery units, and infantry units on foot and on motor vehicles. The reports of guns and in- fantry weapons were heard constantly from the direc-				
				_	•	tion of the training grounds. Searchlight practices were sometimes held at night.				
25X1X	Krivoy Rog (N47-54, E33-21)	Fall of 1949		Barracks installation of three brick buildings, about 60 meters long, four garages with roofs covered with sheet metal, and numerous shed roofs.	Southwestern exit of the city.	Six to ten tanks, AT gums, and heavy AA guns were observed to be stored under the shed-roofs. In summer, the troops were billeted in a camp located about ten km southwest of the city.				
	Zaporozhe (Nh7-h9, E35-11)	December 1949 to 10 Febru- ary 1950		1. PW Camp No. 7100/6, about 400 by 250 meters, of one three-story green brick building, one three-story old school- house, two smaller	Northwestern sector of the city, southeast of the reservoir.	Occupied by German PWs until February 1950. Starting im January 1950, the camp was frequently inspected by artil- lery officers who came from Kiev, according to members of				
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buildings, and two building yards. the camp headquarters. From the method of the inspection, it appeared that the premises which the PWs evacuated were to be converted for the use of an artillery unit in the near future. A small training ground was located northeast of the camp. Small units with trucks towing light guns were frequently observed marching to the training ground for practice.

Occupied by an MVD unit of about 120 troops. The PW camp guards belonged to this unit. stated that he observed ten to 15 AA positions with one AA gun of 88 mm caliber emplaced at each position, on both sides of the dam and near the large railroad bridge. Some radar sets, prime movers, and excavated bunkers were observed nearby.

 Military billets of two wooden buildings and one garage. Bordering on the northern edge of the camp.

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1947 to December 1949  AA positions and military billets. Om both ends of the dam crossing the Dmepr River. Two emplaced batteries, each consisting of four 76.2-mm guns. The unit, which comprised about 150 troops, was accommodated in wrecked houses about 500 meters east of the new railroad bridge. About 20 trucks and some searchlights were observed.

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Occupied by a unit of about 120 troops, including 10 to 15 officers who wore 2. Military bil-About two km southlets in old apart-ment houses, some east of the new railroad bridge. black epaulets. It was of which were referred to as engineer unit by damaged. some civilians. Training with rifles and submachine guns was observed. South of the Occupied by a tank regiment Barracks installa-1948 to tion of five three-Zaporozhstal whose personnel wore black December 1949 uniforms and crash helmets. story brick build-Plant on the ings and four wooden sheds, bound-ed by a woods to the southwest. Vehicles on the parking site northern edge of New Zaporozhe. included about 50 T34 tanks, mounting long barreled 76.2-mm guns without muzzle brakes, numerous four-wheel armored scout cars; and numerous trucks. South of the Occupied by a tank regiment, 1. Barracks instal-October lation of four four-Zaporozhstal Numerous armored and wheeled 1949 vehicles were parked in the story brick build-Plant on the yard. ings and four northern edge of New Zapowooden barracks bounded by a woods to the southwest. rozhe, south of a sewage ditch in a ravine. Northern peri-meter of New Occupied by an MVD unit. Numerous 2. Barracks instalhigh-ranking MVD officers were ob-

lation of four or

five five-story

brick buildings.

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Zaporozhe, about one km west of the

tank barracks.

barracks installation. According to Soviet civilians, an MVD headquarters was accommodated there.

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August to September 1949

Summer of 1949

December 1948 Barracks installation of several two-or three-story buildings.

Barracks installation of eight four-story brick buildings, about 40 by
12 meters, two excavated bunkers, several wooden sheds, and
one storage yard;
enclosed by a high
barbed-wire fence
with two entrances.

Barracks installation of several three-story brick buildings, one long garage, several excavated bunkers, and one storage yard; enclosed by a barbedwire fence, two meters high.

Eastern sector of the city, possibly in New Zaporozhe, between the aircraft plant and the locomotive factory.

Eastern sector of the city, between the aircraft plant and the locomotive factory, north of a large railroad station.

Between the aircraft plant and the locomotive factory, north of the large Zaporozhe II railroad station. Until 1948, up to 12 T34 tanks were frequently observed to leave the barracks installation. In September 1949, columns of young civilians carrying baggage frequently entered the barracks.

Occupied by a tank unit.
More than 100 T3h tanks
and SP guns of about
150 mm caliber were
stored in the yard. Fuel
drums were stored in
front of one excavated
bunker.

Occupied by a tank unit, estimated at not less than 1,000 troops wearing tank insignia. No less than 50 tanks of the T3h and JS models, ten to 15 light AA guns, and about 100 trucks and sedans were stored in the yard.

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epaulets of the

PW camp guards until April 1949.

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25X1X 1948 to Stalino (N48-00, E37-48) December Prior to November 1949 Prior to July 1949

Barracks installation of about eight red multi-story brick buildings and several minor buildings, enclosed by a wire fence.

Near the main railroad station.

Occupied by a unit of troops wearing black eqpulets and armed only with submachine guns and rifles. Some light horse-drawn vehicles were stored in the barracks yard.

Barracks installation of three or four two-story buildings, 40 by 12 meters.

Center of the city. On the so-Line, 200 meters east of Prison No. 1, 300 meters north of a gas plant.

Occupied by an artillery unit of troops wearing blackbordered red epaulets. The officers wore red or blue--bordered epaule ts.

2. Military billets of one two-story gray brick building, 30 by 12 meters.

Eastern peri-meter of the city on the so-called Third Line. Referred to as MVD building. MVD officers were instructed there.

Military billets of one large horseshoeshaped three-or four-story brick building with about 150 rooms.

Center of the city. House No 61 on the so-called Ninth Line.

The ranking officer was referred to as general by the PWs. He wore a black uniform with blue-bordered golden epaulets, lightblue stripes on his trousers, and a black service cap with a light-blue ribbon. His deputy was Major Khansharenko (fnu). The only officers observed were captains and field-grade officers.

Military post headquarters. The commander drove a modern sedan 00-02 and the deputy drove a Mercedes sedan 00-04.

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25X1X	Makeyevka (N48-02, E37-58).	Prior to November 1950.		Barracks installation of five to six two-story brick buildings, 40 by 12 meters.	Western peri- meter of the city, on the northern side of the Stalino road.	Occupied by an artillery unit of troops wearing black-bordered red epaulets. Trucks but no guns were observed in the barracks installation.
		Мау 1948.	<b>le</b>	Military billets of one large five-story white building, about 150 by 30 meters.	Western perimeter of the city, on the northern side of the Stalino road.	A command agency was accommodated in the building, according to fellow PWs.  Numerous officers were observed. Another building of similar dimensions was under construction in a building yard,
						bordering the western edge of the billets. The base- ment and the first floor of the new building were completed by May 1948.
	Gorlovka (N48-10, E38-04).	1947 to October 1949.		Barracks installation of several old four-story brick buildings, about 80 meters long.	Northwestern perimeter of the city, about two km northwest of the railroad station.	Occupied by a unit of about one battalion of troops wearing black epaulets. When leaving the barracks installations, the troops were observed to be armed with submachine guns, light machine guns, and 80-mm mortars.
		February 1949.		Military billets of two cantonment build- ings and eight pointed tents.	About four km north of Gor- lovka, on a northbound rail- road line.	Occupied by a railway eng- ineer unit of about 250 u troops, including one rajor and several junior officers, wearing black

by a railway eng-it of about 250 troops, including one major and several junior officers, wearing black

Until January 1949, the unit had worked on railroad construction in Brest Litovsk.

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Voroshilovgrad (N48-34, E39-20).

April to October 1949.

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Barracks installation, about 500 by 200 meters, of several brick buildings and open tank garages, enclosed by several barbed wire fences with four watchtowers.

Northwestern perimeter of the city, about one km northwest of the main railroad station.

epaulets with crossedtool insignia. The unit did construction work on the railroad line.

Tank unit of troops wearing black epaulets and black collar patches. Thirty to 35 tanks with bogie wheels, track-supporting rollers, and guns with muzzle brakes; about 20 half-track personnel carriers; and eight tank trucks were stored in the tank garages. Small units armed with submachine guns and rifles were frequently observed to leave the barracks installation. At night, motor vehicles with searchlights were frequently seen, and the noise of half-track vehicles was heard in the training ground, bordering the northern edge of the barracks installation.

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1948 **to** August 1949. 1. Barracks installation of ten large four-story brick buildings and some tank garages, enclosed by a wire Northwestern perimeter of the city, about one km northwest of the main railroad station.

Tank unit estimated at not less than 1,000 troops. One lieutenant colonel was observed to be the ranking officer. Up to ten tanks of various models were frequently observed in the barracks yard.

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2. Barracks installation, 400 meters square, of one horseshoe-shaped four-story brick building, about 150 meters long; several minor buildings; and one large courtyard; enclosed by a wire fence.

Southeastern perimeter of the city.

Occupied by a unit of troops wearing lightblue epaulets. Troops were frequently observed marching from this barracks installation to the airfield.

Prior to January 1949. 1. Barracks installation of nine three or four-story brick buildings, each about 50 meters long.

Northwestern perimeter of the city, about one km northwest of the main railroad station.

Occupied by a tank unit. Up to 48 tanks were frequently observed leaving the barracks installation.

stated that
he observed troops
wearing red epaulets
with the number 209
living in a house on
Lenin Street, a
large east-west thoroughfare south of the locomotive factory, until
December 1948.

2. Military billets of one two-story building, about 20 meters long, and presumably some more buildings.

Eastern sector of the city, about one km south of the locomotive factory.

guards, a division headquarters commanded by a colonel was accommodated in the billets. The guards wore the number K 229 on their epaulets.

According to Soviet

1. Military billets of 30 excavated bunkers about 40 meters long, 15 wooden buildings, two kitchen buildings, and one tank repair shop.

Southeast of the

Occupied by a tank unit of troops wearing black epaulets with tank insignia. A colonel was commanding officer of the unit. Forty to 50 tanks, with five bogie

PW camp established in a church until December 1947. It was common knowledge among

the PWs that the 7th

Chuguyev (N49-50, E37-50).

Prior to June 1946.

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wheels per side and mounting 76.2-mm guns with muzzle brakes, were stored in the open. An extensive tank training ground bordered on the billets.
Tanks were frequently observed in the training ground.

Arty Div, stationed in Chuguyev, was superior headquarters of the PW camp and that the 5th Arty Div was stationed in Slavyansk (N48-52, E37-37).

2. Military billets in a former cloister.

Northeastern perimeter of the city near the PW camp, installed in a church.

Cadet school.

Barracks installation of not less than four four-story brick buildings, one large instruction building, some more structures, garages, and one fuel depot; enclosed by a wall with watchtowers.

About five km north of the city, on the eastern side of the Moscow road, about 500 meters west of the airfield.

Occupied by an MVD unit of not less than one battalion. The troops wore blue caps with red ribbons.

Prior to August

1947 to

November

1949.

Barracks installation of several large brick buildings and some minor structures, enclosed by a tall white brick wall.

Northern sector of the city, on a large square bordering on the Moscow road.

Referred to as a military academy by the PWs.
The troops were red epaulets and had excellent military bearing. Guns of about 120 mm caliber with shields and several trucks were observed in the barracks yard.

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Kharkov (N50-00, E36-15).

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1947 to October 1949.

1. Barracks installation, about 300 meters square, of four four-story, still partially damaged brick buildings and one small new three-story structure, enclosed by a board fence. Southern sector of the city, about one km southwest of the large terminal, located in the center of the city, and north of a motor-vehicle repair shop.

Occupied by a tank unit of about 300 troops wearing tank insignia and a three-digit number starting with '3' on their epaulets. Tank repair shops were installed in the first floors.

Tanks and other motor vehicles were stored between the buildings. I 34 tanks, armored scout cars, and trucks, partly self-propelled and partly towed, was frequently observed going into the barracks installation. The vehicles originated from a tank unit built up in Kharkov and presently stationed in Vienna and were to be overhauled, according to FW's girl friend. Replacement parts were frequently picked up by troops of

Comment: The PW had a girl friend who was employed in the barracks installation and was transferred to a tank unit stationed in Vienna in early 1949.

2. Barracks installation of numerous buildings. Northern perimeter of the city, on the Moscow thoroughfare, south of the Dynamo Stadium. An artillery unit of not less than 300 troops was accommodated in a large five-story brick building until October 1949. Training with guns was frequently observed. There were nine guns with shields and notice-ably short barrels.

this unit.

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Prior to March 1949.

Prior to December 1948. Barracks installation of four twostory buildings, 80 meters long, located at the street frontage, and other structures to the rear.

Barracks installation of several large four-story brick buildings. Southeastern perimeter of the city in the Novo Bavarya suburb, north of the Poltava railroad line (N49-35, E34-34).

Northern perimeter of the city, on the road leading to Dergachi (N50-07, E36-08).

Air force units were accommodated in the rest of the buildings of the installation.

Troops were observed to be drilled in the barracks area.

Ten to 12 radio trucks, mounting box-shaped superstructures with antennae, were observed in the barracks area.

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## Soviet Supply Installations in the Kiev MD

25X1X	Kiev	1949 to April 1950	
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		October to November 1949.	
		February to March 1950.	
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1. Ammunition depot, about 400 meters s. long, enclosed by a board fence, about two meters high, with watchtowers.

Southwest of the main railroad station, on the western side of Geroyev Stratos-feri Highway, north of the police barracks.

Ammunition piles were observed within the fenced-in area.

2. Fuel depot in an area covered with trees.

Northwest of the main railroad station. See installation No on Attachment 3 of a previous report (1) A vast number of fuel drums were stored in the depot.

Ordnance depot of one wooden storage shed, about 80 meters long, with three open sides, located in a yard enclosed by barbed wire.

Southwest of the main railrœd station, on the western side of Geroyev Stratosferi Highway. See Installation
No 6 on Attachment 5 of a previous report (1) Forty to 50 trucks were housed in the storage shed. About 60 AA guns of about 80 mm caliber were observed in the yard. The breechblocks were covered with tarpaulins. No troops were observed being trained with these guns.

Military installation with a street frontage of 250 to 300 meters. Southeastern sector

Referred to as the Red Army outneastern sector of the city, about two km southwest of the southern railroad in the camp. An embankment, three meters high, enclosing the installation No 178 on interior of the installation was military geographic mothered from observation. military geographic protected from observation.

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About one and

southeast of the

Darnitsa rail-

road station.

one-half km

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Darnitsa

1949 to April 1950

Tank repair shop of one large building.

2. Motor vehicle repair shop, old installation, with one railroad spur.

About 800 meters east of the Darnitsa railroad station. Possibly Installation No. 255 on military geographic plan.

Only repair work on armored vehicles was done in the repair shop. Seven to ten tanks arrived in the repair shop daily. The same num-ber of tanks were observed to leave the installation every night. All troops observed in the repair shop wore black epaulets.

According to Soviet workers, the installation was taken over by the MVD in 1945. Only MVD officers and enlisted personnel wearing blue caps with red ribbons were observed. Layout: Three-story administration building, 20x15 meters; machine shop, 150x 20 meters; machine shop, 1500 20 meters; varnishing and assembly shop, 150x20 me-ters; service station and fuel depot; PW Camp No. 7062/20; foundry, 150x35 meters, fitted with one coke oven; grinding shop; wood-working shop, 120x25 meters; boiler house, 80 meters square; workshop, 100x30 meters; and store-house, 80x10 meters. The work force at the repair shop consisted of 800 PWs, who were replaced by 800 civilian workers in February 1950. Fifteen

stat-

ed that he worked in the repair shop from 1947 to September 1949. The installation had been destroyed during the war. It was put into full operation again in early 1948. No information on the rate of production or the superior headquarters was available. The work force of the installation consisted of 400 to 500 workers, including numerous women. Trucks and tractors 25X1

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25X1X Stalino

1948 to March 1949.

ters; one row of buildings more than 600 meters long and about 30 meters wide, with large slide doors; two two-story brick buildings, h0x20 meters, with three large doors; one four-story brick building; one fourbrick building; one guardhouse; equipped with railroad spurs with wooden ramps; en-

closed by a barbed

wire fence with

watchtowers and

spotlights.

Ration supply depot

about 1,000x300 me-

Northwestern perimeter of the city, on the eastern side of the railroad line to Dnepropetrovsk. to 20 MVD motor vehicles were repaired daily. All the personnel employed in this installation, except for those working in the foundry, worked one eight-hour shift. The workers employed in the foundry worked two shifts.

were repaired, and component parts were made in the installation.

Ration supply depot supplying the military units stationed in the Stalino area. Large quantities of rations of every type, including a great many durable ones, were stored there. Rations were picked up daily, according to notices seen on the bulletin board. Trucks of various military units, but no commercial vehicles, were seen whenever the rations were distributed. Incoming shipments continually arrived by rail. Troops unloading railroad cars were always seen. The labor force employed in the depot was estimated at 120 MVD troops. One MVD major was observed to be the ranking officer. A noticeably large number of officers was observed. Neither civilians nor PWs were employed in the depot.

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June to December 1948 Supply depot.

Eastern perimeter of the city, on the road to Makeyevka, in the suburb of Kalinovka. Referred to as Baza No. 27.

An MVD Major Ansherenko (fnu)
was in charge of the depot.
His official post was the MVD
headquarters in Line No 9.
The depot included one clothing
depot, one ration supply depot,
and one motor vehicle spare
parts depot with garages.
Military units and civil
agencies located in and near
Stalino were supplied from the
depot. Rations of every
type, military and civilian
clothing, motor vehicles,
machines, and spare parts
were stored there. About
200 MVD troops, 150 civilian
workers, and some PWs were
employed in the depot. All
shipments were made by 10
to 50 trucks which belonged to
the depot. There was a
continuous flow of outgoing
and incoming shipments, so
that the storehouses were usually
filled to capacity.

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Kharkov

October to December 1948. Ration supply depot of several storehouses, arranged in rows of three buil lings each, some of them destroyed. Railroad connection

available.

At the large railroad terminal, located in the center of the city.

The rations were picked up exclusively by army troops and loaded on motor vehicles. The depot was guarded by troops wearing red epaulets. Reconstruction work was observed in late 1948.